

LOCAL MENTION

A BUNDLE OF GOOD CHEER

However good you may be, you have faults; however dull you may be, you can find out what some of them are, and however slight they may be, you had better make some—not too painful—but patient efforts to get rid of them.

—Ruskin.

More New Hats!—Mrs. S. C. Watts. W. B. Rariden is in Jefferson county this week buying mules.

John Swink transacted business in St. Louis the first of the week.

Mrs. Fannie Lang Shaw left Monday to spend the week in St. Louis.

Thomas Woods of Detroit, Mich., is here on a short visit with relatives.

Born March 6, 1917, to the wife of Thomas Chapman of Knob Lick, a son.

Jack Burnette of Bethem, Penn., returned home Sunday for a visit with his parents.

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Red setting eggs, \$1.00 for 15, prepaid to any address. T. F. O'Bannon, Route 2, Farmington, Mo. 9-6t

Sam Conway left Monday for Bismarck to move some residences and do other carpenter work.

The best dinner to be had in Farmington is at the Flash Light Restaurant—only 35 cents.—W. B. Phillips, proprietor. 8-2w

Northern Seed Potatoes at \$2.75 per bushel at the Coffman Mercantile Co.'s store, Coffman, Mo.

J. S. Clay reports the sale of 119 acres of land in Ste. Genevieve county to Daniel O'Sullivan for \$1600.

WANTED—A young man able to work on a farm, and also run a car. Farm wages and board. Loyd Ferguson, Mine La Motte, Mo.

Roy Anderson and Fred Smith, business college students, spent the latter part of the week at Sikeston.

Dr. and Mrs. Goodykoontz of Caledonia spent Saturday and Sunday here with their daughter, Mrs. T. H. Holman.

Miss McDill, the Enterprise hat trimmer, returned from St. Louis Monday, where she had spent the past four weeks.

All that's new in Millinery will be found here—at reasonable prices. Mrs. S. C. Watts.

Mrs. Paul Leming and little son, Edward Rozier, of Cape Girardeau are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rozier.

Judge Peter Huck adjourned court Tuesday and went to St. Louis to see his son, who is undergoing treatment in a hospital there.

Peter Giessing, Jr., and wife spent the first of the week in St. Louis visiting Mrs. Giessing's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Sullivan.

The Flash Light Restaurant, north side Public Square, serves Faust's blend coffee.

A. T. Clark has removed from near Doe Run to Farmington and is occupying the Nave property, corner College avenue and A street.

Opening display of Spring and Summer Millinery Saturday, March 17.—Mrs. S. C. Watts.

J. C. Watson left Wednesday for Jefferson City on business and will go on to Miami, Oklahoma, to look after his mineral interests there.

Mrs. W. G. Patton went to St. Louis Tuesday for a few days' visit with Mrs. Willis Young, wife of the well known surgeon of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kraft of Webster Groves are here to attend the sale of their farming implements and live stock on their farm on route one.

FOR SALE—Kitchen Cabinet, Safe and Wardrobe.—Call phone 204.

Chili Concarne is served at the Flash Light Restaurant. Try it, you'll like it. 8-2w

Eugene Karsch, who has been on his father's farm near the Missouri-Arkansas line, has returned to Farmington and is employed in the Farmers Bank.

Miss Bunty Smith left Monday for Cape Girardeau to enter the Normal at that place. She has been visiting her brother, Taylor Smith, here the past few days.

For the best Dental work, with least possible pain, call on Dr. Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Burnette are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, Friday morning, March 2, 1917. Tom says the boy will be either a butcher or a soldier, according to where he is needed most.—New Madrid Record.

WANTED—A farm hand with small family. Chas. Ryan, R. R. 5.

Anna D., the youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Bailey, who underwent a severe operation last fall for supposed tumor on the brain, has been very low the past week and her family and friends are very much concerned over her condition.

Just 95 steps from the post-office, you will find the hat that suits you—at the Enterprise. Try it and see.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. McCormick are here visiting relatives and friends. Mr. McCormick has secured a position with one of the leading mercantile firms of Charleston and will locate there. John has many friends here who wish him every success.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Waters returned Sunday from a stay of several weeks in Hot Springs, Ark. They left Hot Springs on different trains and came by different routes. Mr. Waters desired to visit his New Madrid county farm, while Mrs. Waters wished to visit with friends en route. But they met up at DeLassus, notwithstanding, and actually arrived home together.

FARM: 36-acre apple orchard and garden, in very good condition. Only 1.34 miles southeast of Bismarck, Mo. Orchard has 1250 trees, mostly Delicious, Jonathan, Winesap and Transparent. Large springs and creek. Two-room house and two small poultry sheds. This is part of the Kiepe farm, and will sacrifice for \$18,000.00 to insure quick sale. John A. Lange, 25 Aberdeen Place, St. Louis. 8-2t

J. B. Allen of University City is here on business.

Benj. H. Marbury is attending court at Potosi this week.

Spring clean-up work has already started, and will soon be in full force. Prof. Granger of the Eather school spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

Raphael Horn, who is employed in Flat River, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Floyd Davis has purchased a Ford roadster from the St. Francois Motor Company.

The St. Francois Mining and Prospecting Co. a few days ago sold 47 acres of mineral land near Miami, Okla., for \$35,000.

Who will we have for Mayor? That is the leading question just now. The question of who to choose for Aldermen is also a close second.

Indian Joe's Wild West Show that was shown at the Monarch Wednesday night attracted a large crowd. All seemed to be well entertained.

Miss Sally Semar, teacher of Valle's Mines school, was here last Thursday and Friday taking the teacher's examination. Miss Sally reports her school to be progressing very nicely.

FARM FOR SALE—120 acres, 7 miles east of Bonne Terre, Mo.; 70 acres in fine timber. For particulars address G. Couriskey, 3426 Oregon Ave., St. Louis, Mo. 7-4t.

The High School basketball team left yesterday for Cape Girardeau to play in the basketball tournament for the Southeast Missouri championship. They were accompanied by Coach J. S. Dearmont.

There were several light flurries of snow the last of the week, but they did not linger long. The weather of this week has been moderating, until now the bright, sunshiny days have again set the "spring bug" to crawling, and there are again rumors of planting gardens.

Prepare early to swat the fly. But you should not only swat the fly, but put things in shape to give him such a cheerless reception that he will be so discouraged as to either commit suicide or look for some place more inviting to his taste. A fly swatted in time prevents about nine-million, so it is claimed.

The Times is pleased to place on its "X" list this week the Harrington (Del.) Journal, of which J. Harvey Burgess, late of the Morehouse Hustler, has just taken charge. While Southeast Missouri misses the "Vapid Vapors" of J. Harvey, we are gratified to note that he is apparently well located in his eastern home. And as the muse went with him, we will still be able to catch the far echo of his sweet "soprano" each week.

"The Musical Guardsmen" appeared at the Monarch last night, being the final number of the past season's Lyceum course. There were six young men in the company, and they proved to be a rare treat, holding the closest and rapt attention for one and one-half hours. Every member of the company is a musical genius. We understand that next winter's Lyceum has already been arranged for, with even higher grade attractions, if possible, than the one just closing.

There has been a very noticeable change for the better in the conduct of some auto drivers about Farmington recently. They have evidently been forced to the realization that others have the same rights on the public thoroughfare as they themselves have. Anyway, their manner of procedure has recently undergone a decided change. They are even careful to park their machines on the right side of the streets. This is as it should be, and will meet the hearty approval of all law-abiding citizens.

Theo. Hodge, of Campbell, Mo., was in Farmington the first of the week looking over the field with a view to going into business at this point. He was abundantly pleased with the conditions and prospects here, as he saw them, and concluded to take advantage of the opportunities. Consequently, he rented the Merrill Pipkin business house, on the west side of the square, and will open a specialty store there about the 20th inst. Mr. Hodge has had eleven years' experience in this particular line of business, and should thoroughly understand it. He will keep three traveling men in the field throughout the Lead Belt and in adjacent counties, but Farmington will be their headquarters. Mr. Hodge should be welcomed to this city.

HIS THIRD BIRTHDAY

Little Taylor Smith, Jr., will celebrate the third anniversary of his birthday this afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Smith, and has invited the following little tots to play with him and enjoy the goodies prepared by his mother for the occasion: Little Misses Bettie Fleming, Mary Gene Hart, Virginia Lang, Mary Genevieve Lang, Lois Brewer, Sarah M. Roberts, Helen Spangh, Reva Walsh, Janet Weber, Dorothy Eugas, Gwendolin Robinson, Mary Boyd, and Masters Billy Barker, Ted Pippy, Billy Blackledge, Robert O. Lloyd, James E. Klein, Robert and Earl Spreading, Edward Rozier Leming, Jack Swink, John McCarthy, Woodrow Wilson Williams, Walter Hensley, Jr., Ben Marbury, Jr., John Boyd, Morrison Harlan, Bert Beal, Jr., and Stewart Johnson.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat, per bu	\$1.90
Flour, per 100 lbs.	\$5.50 to 5.70
Meal, unbolted, per bu.	1.35
Meal, bolted, per bu.	1.40
Mixed feed, per 100 lbs.	2.25
Ship stuff, per 100 lbs.	2.40
Brn, per 100 lbs.	2.15
Corn, per bushel	1.25
Oats, per bu.	.30
Irish Potatoes	3.60
Seed Potatoes	3.75
Butter, per lb.	.30
Eggs, per dozen	.25
Chickens, spring, per lb.	.17 to .20
Hens, per lb.	.16
Ducks, per lb.	.16
Bacon, per lb.	.24
Hay, per ton	15.00

VALLE'S MINES

Miss Mary Stevens of Bonne Terre visited her mother, Mrs. E. Turley, Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Sadie Rowe was the guest of Mrs. James Bunt, Wednesday.

Lee Douglas left for Herculaneum Thursday to seek employment.

Miss Nina Benham of Hazel Run visited Miss Blanche Sykes Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Velma Meyers of Leadwood is visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Meyers, this week.

There was a party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson Wednesday night. Those present were: Misses Myrtle, Anna, Ada and Olga Heaton; Cora Busher, Blanche Sykes, Stella Richardson, Mary Stephens, Pearl Whitesell, Nina Benham and Bertha Wells; Messrs. Arthur, Clarence and Earl Sykes, Burl and Albert Riddle, Press Burns, Homer Rhodes, Charley and Jake Busher, Ed Heaton, Tom Horn, Lee Douglas, Rubie Cole, Henry Nicholls, Maurice Whitesell and Charley Shannon, Wm. and Otto Doe, Paul Parrot, Shelt and Harvey Richardson of Hazel Run. All left at a late hour declaring they had a most enjoyable time.

Miss Edith Rowe visited her sister, Mrs. Chas. Nees, Friday.

Miss Sally Semar was a Farmington visitor Friday and Saturday.

Several from here attended the dance at Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Millen's Saturday night.

Bryan Thurman of St. Louis is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thurman.

Misses Ada and Anna Heaton, Cora Busher, Messrs. Charley and Jake Busher, Edward Heaton, Bud Riddle, Ab, Arthur and Earl Sykes, Emmett and Edmond Rougely attended the dance at Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Millen's Saturday night.

Harry Lester visited relatives in Leadwood Monday.

Gentry Larkins of St. Louis visited at the home of R. H. Rowe Sunday.

Oliver Sykes of Flat River visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sykes, Sunday.

Homer Rhodes visited at the home of W. E. Heaton Sunday.

Miss Florence Horn visited her parents at French Village Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linquist of Bonne Terre are visiting at the home of C. R. McClain.

Mrs. Press Ratty visited at the home of Henry Kelly Monday.

Wm. Holmes and Perry Whitesell of Festus visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Al Sykes, who has been visiting in Farmington, returned home Saturday.

Lewis Larkins of St. Louis visited his father, Wm. Larkins, Saturday and Sunday.

Lee Hammock of Flat River was a Valle's Mines visitor Sunday.

Della Porterfield visited her parents at East Bonne Terre Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Meyers and daughters, Velma and Clara, visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Riddle Sunday.

Geo. Barby visited at the home of J. A. Busher Sunday.

E. Horn visited at the home of Henry Turley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turley visited Lon and Geo. Moore Sunday.

Luther Turley was a Bonne Terre visitor Tuesday.

ELVINS

G. W. Howell transacted business in St. Louis several days last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watts, March 1st, a fine boy.

Quite a number from Elvins attended the Community Chorus at Flat River Thursday night.

Floyd Gilbert has accepted a position as clerk in Carr & Thompson's store.

Miss Melva Layne left last week for Cape Girardeau to enter the Normal.

Joe Matthews of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., visited his sister, Miss Archie Matthews, Sunday.

Dr. G. W. Tidwell transacted business in Farmington last Friday.

Miss Edna Barton visited home folks in Esther Sunday.

Miss Zelpha McGuire, who is teaching school at Knob Lick, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Carr Hartshorn transacted business in Farmington Monday.

Mr. H. Francis of Bonne Terre was an Elvins visitor Monday.

Emmett Reese visited his sister, Mrs. H. Rudy, in Bonne Terre Monday.

Carl Lupkey visited home folks in Herculaneum Sunday. His sister, Miss Mabel Lupkey, returned with him for a short visit.

Mrs. R. Haynes and children of Bonne Terre visited in Elvins Monday.

Miss Emma Ruddle was a Flat River visitor Monday.

Miss Minnie Crisler and Miss Oral Baker returned home Friday from Marquand, where they have been teaching in the public school.

Miss Myrtle Jones is spending the week in Flat River.

Mrs. Wm. O'Heron and Mrs. Grant Reese visited in Bonne Terre Friday.

Miss Byrchain Marshall of Ste. Genevieve visited in Elvins Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. S. Bennett transacted business in Flat River Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jenkins visited in Flat River Tuesday.

The Elvins Literary Society will meet Friday night and the following program will be rendered:

Piano Solo—Susie Francis.
Lecture—L. N. Threlkell.
Duet—Leslie Maurer and Lolo Sizemore.
Violin Solo—Ila Abshier.
Reading—Kate Dempsey.
Piano Solo—Ralph Delcour.
Duet—Manda O'Heron and Mrs. Chas. Waters.
Monologue—Vida Abshier.

The members of the "L. O. P. H." Club were delightfully entertained by Miss Minnie Colbert and Miss Opal Cagle at the home of Mrs. Wm. O'Heron last Friday night. All present reported an enjoyable evening. Dainty refreshments were served.

BRIGHTSTONE

Fine weather at this writing. W. F. Parrott of Route 3, Fredericktown, was a Knob Lick visitor Friday.

Mrs. I. N. Shannon of Mt. Oak was visiting Mrs. C. W. Marshall Thursday.

Wm. Lemon was a Fredericktown visitor Monday.

Edward Erwin, who has been very ill, is reported better and able to be about.

Everett Marshall was a Knob Lick visitor Wednesday.

Katie Clark, who has been on the sick list for some time, is reported better.

Mrs. Maggie Martin was shopping in Knob Lick Friday.

Eva Wells is on the sick list at this writing.

Thos. Marshall was in Knob Lick Saturday.

J. D. Wells was a business visitor in Knob Lick Saturday.

"Mutt and Jeff" are getting ready to make garden.

Wm. Marshall and wife of route 6 were Knob Lick visitors Saturday.

Geo. Raines of Farmington was a business visitor in Knob Lick last week.

J. D. Wells was hauling ties to Knob Lick last week.

Several from here attended the dance at Theodore Anderson's Saturday night.

Polly Parrott of Mine La Motte spent Sunday here with home folks.

Will Sweeney of near Mine La Motte was a Knob Lick visitor Saturday.

John Lemon left Monday for Mine La Motte, where he has employment.

Everett Anderson of Sweetwater was visiting home folks here Sunday.

Miss Ella Clark was the guest of Mary Erwin Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Wells was shopping in Knob Lick Saturday.

Alf Clark was hauling ties to Knob Lick last week.

John Lemon was visiting Tom Marshall Sunday evening.

Miss Eva Marshall and Miss Mary Erwin were guests of Mary Clark Sunday evening.

There was a birthday party given at John Wells' Monday night. Those present were: Birdie Kinneman, Grace and Mary Erwin, Eva Marshall, Bertha Wells, Maude Wells, Dan Clark, Tom Canterbury, Everett Anderson, Tom and Everett Marshall, Oscar Kinneman, Park O'Bannon, Ed and Jesse Erwin, Henry Lee and Arthur Hightower, Willie Clark and Dewey Erwin. All had a jolly time.

C. W. Marshall was a Farmington visitor Tuesday.

Maude Wells visited home folks Monday.

Mary Clark went to Farmington Tuesday.

Thos. Marshall went to Flat River Tuesday to seek employment.

FLAT RIVER

Arlie Bates was home from Rolla for an over-Sunday visit with parents.

Miss Dorothy Keith of Rivermires was home from Lindenwood College for the week-end.

Miss Mary Stophlet was home from Caledonia Saturday and Sunday.

Supt. J. U. White was in Ironton Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Chapman of Farmington was in Flat River on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Marshall and Mrs. Chas. Gunther of Bonne Terre were in Flat River Tuesday and attended the Presbyterian bazaar and oyster supper.

Mrs. Theresa Kingsland, who has been ill for several days, is recovering.

Friends in town have received announcement of the marriage of Miss Jessie A. Fobister and Mr. Franklin Charles Grumewald, at the home of her parents in Lyons, Wisconsin. Miss Fobister was the assistant of Dr. S. W. Stophlet, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, for several years, and made many friends throughout the Lead Belt, who will wish her much happiness.

The S. S. Teachers' Graded Union met at the Presbyterian Church last Monday evening and completed the organization, adopted a constitution and transacted other business. Mr. Carroll Norwine led the devotional service. Rev. W. H. Markley, Miss Wike, Dr. S. W. Stophlet and Miss Emma Rogers had the program for the evening. At the close, refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held in the Christian Church, on the first Monday evening in April.

Miss Irene Goff was home from Lindenwood College for an over-Sunday visit.

Dr. F. L. Keith last week sold his Buick roadster and while in the city purchased a Maxwell Coupel, which is a very attractive looking machine.

Norman Topping is again confined to the house with sickness.

Miss May Cover was over from Farmington Tuesday to meet her pupils and direct the play to be given by the High School soon, for the benefit of the library.

Prof. Fleming was in St. Louis over Sunday, the guest of his parents.

The Lead Belt Woman's Club is making arrangements to present a play during Easter week.

At the request of a large number of people the club is also arranging to have another meeting of the Community Chorus within the next two or three weeks. The meeting of the Chorus last Thursday evening was a very successful affair. Dr. G. A. Magruder made an excellent leader and proved himself to be the man for the place. A number of patriotic and

Saturday--March 10, Is National ORANGE DAY

We want you to buy Oranges—to get you to do so we shall sell all Oranges 5 cents per dozen less than regular price on this day — and guarantee every one to be sound, sweet and juicy.

Regular	40c dozen	Oranges	35c dozen
"	35c	"	30c
"	30c	"	25c
"	25c	"	20c

Remember—these prices for Saturday—only.

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FARMINGTON, MO.

old-time melodies were sung by the audience, and by request Miss Jean Stophlet sang the verses of "Annie Laurie", the audience joining in the chorus and a male quartette composed of Messrs Ramsey, Inman, Welby and Johnson, sang several selections, responding to an encore. Mrs. F. L. Keith was the pianist for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keefe of Federal returned Thursday night from a very enjoyable trip to El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. A. W. Miller spent Thursday in Bonne Terre.

The apron sale and oyster supper given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church last Tuesday evening was a success in every way. They are planning a rug sale for spring and at Easter will have their fourth annual flower sale.

Mrs. Harry Buckley was in St. Louis Thursday buying goods for their store in Taylortown.

Misses Mildred Keith and Jean Stophlet have opened their Kindergarten in the social room of the Presbyterian Church. Anyone wishing to send children should notify them at once.

Miss Geraldine Cullom of St. Louis was the guest of Mary Stophlet for the week-end.

Miss Dorothy Wetzel of St. Louis and Miss Rebecca Graham of Paducah, Ky., were guests of Jean Stophlet Sunday. These young ladies are both students of Lindenwood College and friends of Miss Jean's while she was in Lindenwood last year. Misses Mary and Jean had luncheon for them on Saturday and Miss Mildred Keith gave a "Pink Tea" on Saturday afternoon in honor of her sister, Dorothy.

Lee Smith has resigned his position at the Bonne Terre depot.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Goff were in Desloge Tuesday calling on Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Goff, who left on Wednesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Olga Mac Laggart in San Francisco.

Mrs. F. L. Keith and Glenwood spent Tuesday in Bonne Terre the guests of relatives.

ELVINS

Mrs. John Paul of Doe Run spent Saturday in this city with relatives.

Alonso Crabtree was in Bismarck Saturday.

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